

**Pine Forest School 2023/2024
Mitigation Plan
Concludes December 31, 2023**



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Plan
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Mitigation and Health Protocols

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Screening

Staff and School Families Shall Self-Monitor health and stay at home with the following symptoms.

- Fever or chills
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

Student and Staff Screening on Campus

- Parents will be asked to come and pick students up from school with symptoms such as fever, sore throat, runny or congested nose, combined with fever and or sore throat, nausea or vomiting, diarrhea
- Parents must have an alternate pick-up person on call
- Test kits are available at school for parents to test students

Face Coverings

- Masks are optional but encouraged, particularly during any type of symptom that indicates onset of any type of illness.

Cleaning/Sanitizing Protocols

Classroom Health Protocols

- Classrooms are equipped with cleaning supplies and teachers will wipe desks frequently
- Classrooms are equipped with portable air filtration systems as requested from the teacher

Facilities

- The school encourages water bottles for every student.

Hand washing

- Encourage hand washing often
- All grades hand washing throughout the day as suitable to grade level

General Protocols for Students, Parents and Staff on Campus

- Call office and report illness with symptoms
- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth
- When coughing or sneezing cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or cloth or use the inside of your elbow
- After coughing or sneezing immediately wash your hands or use sanitizer 60% alcohol
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces throughout the day.
- Ill students will be isolated from well students and staff
- Parents must immediately pick up ill students

Health-related Training for Staff and Student and Families

- Educate about infection control strategies
- Teachers trained in Trauma Sensitive Teaching

Supplies available on campus

- Disposable Face Masks for students and staff
- Hand soap & Hand sanitizer
- Disposable Hand Drying Towels & Face Tissue

**Positive Test Result
Until December 31, 2023**

**Student
Test Positive**

1. School administration notified
2. Recommendation by the CDC: Student isolates for 5 days from date of symptoms or 5 days from date of positive test if there are no symptoms. Where a well fitted mask for 10 days from positive result or onset of symptoms
3. Class community is notified of a positive test result.

Student is considered absent - Teacher could send school work home

In Close Contact: A family member tests positive or a student/staff is in close contact with someone within or outside the school community who tests positive.

1. Watch for symptoms and test for Covid
2. PFS requests testing with a negative result before coming to school for siblings or staff in a covid-positive household. Pin eForest has test kits.
3. Sibling /staff may return to school if isolation protocols from covid positive household member are followed. Recommend a wait period after exposure and then test.

If test results are positive see above

**Teacher or Staff Test
Positive**

1. School administration notified
2. Teacher/Staff isolate for 5 days after positive test or onset of symptoms. Recommended by CDC to wear a well fitted mask through day 10 of positive result or onset of symptoms
3. Class & Employee Community notified

Substitute Teacher Instructs the class

Exhibiting
Symptoms-
What to do

**A Student
exhibiting
symptoms**

Call the office -excuse student as absent. If resolution of symptoms does not occur after one day, it is recommended that a Covid test be obtained. Pine Forest has test kits.

Wait for test results before returning to the school environment. If no test is taken, wait 5 days since onset of symptoms and 24 hours since last fever without fever reducing medication. Recommendation of CDC: Wear a well-fitted mask until testing can occur.

**A Staff Member
exhibiting
symptoms**

Call administration. If symptoms do not resolve in one day then it is recommended to test for Covid

Wait for test results before returning to the school environment